

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF  
DEN BOEF et al.

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to initial examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

On page 1, after the title please insert the following:

**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application claims priority to U.S. Application 60/411,861, filed September 20, 2002, and U.S. Application 60/413,601, filed September 26, 2002. The contents of both applications are incorporated herein by reference.

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

1. **Field of the Invention**

After line 2, please insert the following:

2. **Description of the Related Art**

On page 2, before line 26, please insert the following:

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

On page 5, after line 11 please insert the following:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

On page 6, please delete line 20 and insert the following:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION